

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: AKIYAMA et al

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**AMENDMENT**

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December 10, 2007

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 10, 2007, the period of response for which extension is requested by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as listed below and set forth on the following pages:

**Amendments to the Specification;**

**Amendments to the Claims; and**

**Remarks are included following the amendments.**